

House File 294 - Introduced

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BY WINDSCHITL

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to water use permit fees and the water use permit
2 fund.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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1 1 Section 1. Section 423.3, subsection 94, Code 2009, is
1 2 amended by striking the subsection.
1 3 Sec. 2. Section 455B.265, subsection 6, Code 2009, is
1 4 amended by striking the subsection.
1 5 Sec. 3. Section 455B.265A, Code 2009, is repealed.
1 6 Sec. 4. EMERGENCY RULES. The department of natural
1 7 resources may adopt emergency rules under section 17A.4,
1 8 subsection 3, and section 17A.5, subsection 2, paragraph "b",
1 9 to adopt water use permit fees that were in effect prior to
1 10 the enactment of 2008 Iowa Acts, chapter 1163, and the rules
1 11 shall be effective immediately upon filing unless a later date
1 12 is specified in the rules. Any rules adopted in accordance
1 13 with this section shall also be published as a notice of
1 14 intended action as provided in section 17A.4.

1 15 EXPLANATION

1 16 This bill repeals water use permit fees and the water use
1 17 permit fund that were enacted pursuant to 2008 Iowa Acts,
1 18 chapter 1163.

1 19 The bill eliminates a sales tax exemption for water use
1 20 permit fees paid.

1 21 The bill eliminates fee provisions relating to fees charged
1 22 for certain water use permits.

1 23 The bill repeals Code section 455B.265A, relating to the
1 24 establishment of the water use permit fund and the associated
1 25 standing appropriation.

1 26 The bill allows the department to adopt water use permit
1 27 fees that were in effect prior to the enactment of 2008 Iowa
1 28 Acts, chapter 1163, through the use of emergency rules.

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